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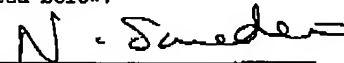
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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This is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed
August 23, 2005, the term for response to which expires on
November 23, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claim 1 is amended,
and claims 2-38 are maintained.

Remarks begin on page 25 of this paper.